

**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

Introduced by: Cochran

A RESOLUTION memorializing C. Alex Watkins.

Whereas, C. Alex Watkins served his community and his state honorably for many years;

Whereas, C. Alex Watkins served as sheriff of Floyd County from 1954 through 1962 and again from 1970 through 1978;

Whereas, C. Alex Watkins was a dedicated public servant who also served as clerk of the Floyd County Circuit Court from 1963 through 1966;

Whereas, During his tenure as sheriff of Floyd County, C. Alex Watkins instituted many innovations, including the establishment of the first uniformed sheriff's department, the



first sheriff's radio, and the first identification markings on sheriff's department vehicles; and

Whereas, C. Alex Watkins was a caring man who was dedicated to helping others and touched the lives of many people, and he will be greatly missed: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to
- 2 express its deepest sympathy to the family of C. Alex Watkins during
- 3 their time of bereavement.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 5 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the family of
- 6 C. Alex Watkins.

